

AT&L Workforce Position Category Description (PCD)

Career Field: Production, Quality & Manufacturing
Career Path: Production & Manufacturing
Short Title PQM-PM
Category Code: G **Ref:** (a) DoDD 5000.52 dtd 12 Jan 2005
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Notes:

1. This PCD is intended to assist in determining which AT&L career field/path to assign to an AT&L position per Title 10 sec. 1721. If 50% or more of the duties and responsibilities of the position match the "General Acquisition-Related Duties" described below AND the preponderance of those duties match the "AT&L Career Field/Path Specific Duties" described below, assign the position to this position category.
2. All acquisition positions require management attention with respect to certification requirements and individual development. See reference (c).
3. Critical Acquisition Position (CAPs) are a subset of acquisition positions and Key Leadership Position (KLPs), are a subset of CAPs. Both CAPs and KLPs represent positions with responsibility and authority that are critical to the success of a program or effort. These positions require management attention with respect to Acquisition Corps membership, tenure and other specific statutory requirements. See reference (c).

General Acquisition Related Duties: The conceptualization, initiation, design, development, test, contracting, production, deployment, logistical support, modification, and disposal of weapons and other systems, supplies, or services (including construction) to satisfy DoD needs, intended for use in, or in support of, military missions.

AT&L Career Field/Path Specific Duties:

- Monitors and manages the manufacturing and production efforts at industry or Government facilities throughout the system acquisition process.
- Assesses and reports on the availability of resources for production and realistic industry approaches to manufacturing and supply chain management.
- Conducts feasibility assessments of risk during transition period and throughout the acquisition process.
- Provides advice, assistance and recommendations to support "make" or "buy" decisions and alternative production processes.

Typical Line and Staff Position Titles: Supervisory, Production, Manufacturing, Industrial Engineer; Production Management, Industrial Specialist; Production Officer; General, Aerospace, Mechanical Engineer.

Typical Position Locations: Acquisition organizations within the service components (i.e., Systems Commands, Materiel Commands, DRPMs, PEOs, as well as organizations/field activities directly supporting such organizations). Other DoD Components, Agencies and OSD/Service/HQ staff elements performing/supporting acquisition related functions such as DCMA, DLA and plant offices and component program offices.

Typical Career Codes:

Civilian Personnel		Uniformed Personnel				
OCC Series		Army AOC	Navy AQD	Air Force AFSC	Marine Corps MOS	
0301	1150	51A	AGx	62	6002	8058 8869
08xx	1152	51C		63	75xx	8059
					8057	8060

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